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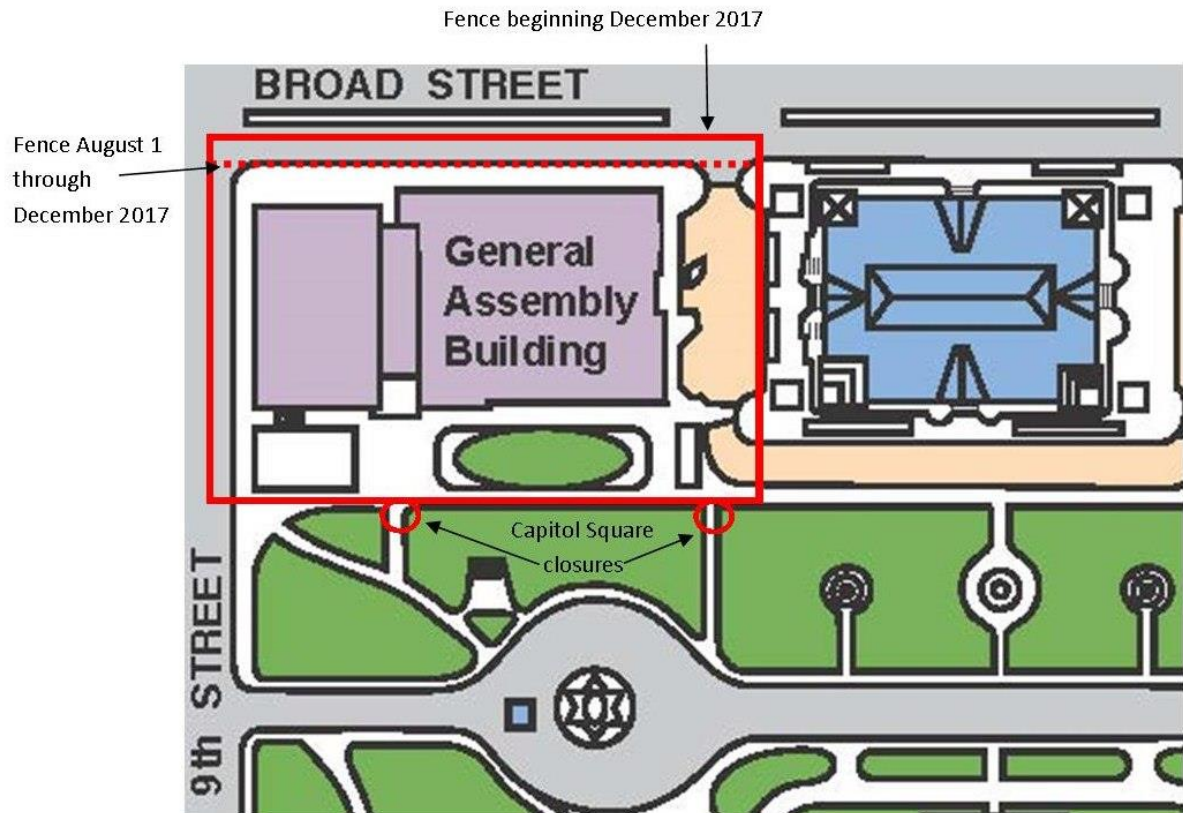
General Assembly Building Fence to Impact Pedestrian, Vehicle Traffic through 2021

~ Fence will be erected on August 1 ~

RICHMOND, VA – The Department of General Services (DGS) announced today that a temporary fence will be erected around the General Assembly Building on August 1 so the Commonwealth can begin abatement and demolition of the building then construction of a new facility.

The fencing will have the following impacts:

- From August 1 through the end of the year, the sidewalk along the south side of Broad Street will close from 9th Street to 10th Street. Beginning in December, the southernmost lane of eastbound Broad Street also will close and will remain closed through 2021.
- Beginning August 1, the east lane and sidewalk of 9th Street will close from the Capitol Square fence to Broad Street and remain closed through 2021.
- Beginning August 1, two northwest entrances to Capitol Square will be inaccessible and remain closed through 2021.
- Beginning August 1, 10th Street will close to traffic. Those state employees who park along 11th Street near the Patrick Henry Building will enter and exit at that street.



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